IN THE CLAIMS:

This **Listing of Claims** will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

1-10. (cancelled)

11. (currently amended) A handheld laser distance measuring device comprising a laser (12) being integrated in a housing, a position sensor (22) for determining the <u>spacial special orientation</u> of the distance measuring device, wherein the position sensor (22) is connected with a signal transducer (12, 28, 30, 32), whereby the position sensor (22) and the signal transducer (12, 28, 30, 32) are integrated in said housing, whereby the signal transducer (12, 28, 30, 32) is capable of being triggered by the position sensor (22) to emit a perceptible signal which depends on the spacial orientation and wherein the signal transducer <u>is in-</u>an optical signal transducer (12, 30), an acoustic signal transducer (28) or a tactile signal transducer (32).

12. (previously presented) A handheld laser distance measuring device as recited in claim 11, whereby the optical signal transducer (12, 30) is aimed to emit a signal being perceptible by sighting a target object.